



\Quick Guide to ACS Event Communications Plan Amgen Tour of California May 23, 2010



The Amgen Tour of California occurs on Sunday May 23, 2010, beginning at 12:00 and ends at approximately 1700 (5:00 PM). The reporting time for ACS members will be 10:45 AM

- You must have your white DSW badge to participate.
- Please wear your yellow ACS/ARES shirt if you have one.
- This is a long event. Bring spare batteries.

We will operate on the following radio frequencies for this event:

Frequency	Purpose	Repeater
147.885 MHz (-) pl 127.3	Race Net	Bozo Repeater
146.850 MHz (-) pl 94.8	Admin Net	Grissom Repeater
449.440 MHz (-) pl 131.8	Command/Control Net	Amgen Repeater
223.580 MHz	Packet Net	Simplex
147.225 MHz (+) pl 94.8	L.A. Race Net	DCS-22 Repeater

Field stations will probably utilize the Race Net and the Admin Net only. The Race Net is to be used only for reports of the location of riders. The Admin Net is for all other reports.

Brief HOW TOs

1. Check-In / Check-Out/ Breaks

When you arrive at your station, check in on the Admin Net. After that, before taking any break from service, request permission from Net Control on the Admin Net; check back in when returning. Net Control on the Admin Net will release you after all riders have passed.

2. Setting Up

Each field station should have two ACS members present. After the second member arrives and checks in, decide among yourselves who will monitor the Race Net and who will monitor the Admin Net. **Both nets should be monitored continuously throughout the race.**

3. Rider Reports via the Race Net

When the lead rider reaches your location, immediately inform Net Control on the Race Net. Also report when the central mass of bike riders are passing your location and when the last bike riders pass your position.

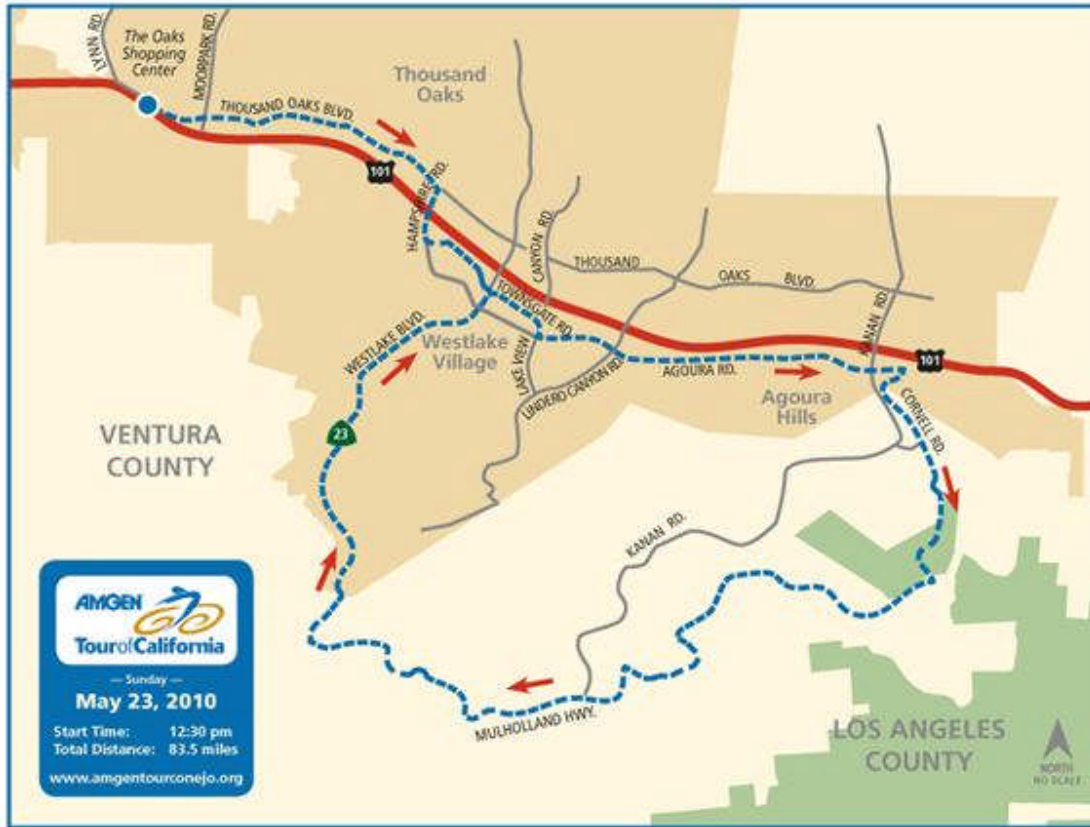
4. Emergency / Accident Reports via the Admin Net

If you learn of a situation requiring emergency services of any sort, including bike accidents, auto accidents, spectator accidents, injuries, etc., immediately inform Net Control on the Admin Net.

5. Situation Reports via the Admin Net

Each site will be poled approximately every 20 minutes by Admin Net Control. When poled, report the current situation at you location, including vehicle traffic and traffic problems in the area, the size of the crowd, the "mood" of the spectators, potentially dangerous situations, public safety issues and concerns etc. If an emergency occurs at you location, do not wait to be poled, report the situation immediately to Admin Net Control.

Bike Race Route



ACS Tactical Calls

Tactical Call	Location
ICO	Incident Communications Officer
Command Center	Mobile Command Center
Radio Room	Radio Room at ECSS
Start Line	Start Line
DCS	DCS-22 Comm. Van
Moorpark	Thousand Oaks Blvd. & Moorpark Rd.
Rancho	Thousand Oaks Blvd. & Rancho Rd.
Dallas	Thousand Oaks Blvd. & Dallas Dr.
Hampshire TO	Thousand Oaks Blvd. & Hampshire Rd.
Hampshire Townsgate	Townsgate & Hampshire Rd.
Westlake	Townsgate & Westlake Blvd
Lakeview	Townsgate & Lakeview Canyon Rd.
Carlisle	Westlake Blvd & Carlisle
Potrero	Westlake Blvd & Potrero Rd.
Triunfo	Westlake Blvd & Triunfo Canyon Rd.
Agoura	Westlake Blvd & Agoura Rd.

Mobile Command Center (MCC)

The Mobile Command Center will be parked near the Finish Line at Townsgate Rd. and Village Glen, and will be the Thousand Oaks Police Department command post for the bike race. The Mobile Command Center will be the primary ACS radio communications center for this event, providing the police department with direct radio coverage to the ACS members deployed along the Ventura County segment of the bike race route. ACS will operate voice communications on 2 meters and 440 MHz plus packet on 220 MHz from the Mobile Command Center. This will be accomplished utilizing three single band radios and a tri-band base-station antenna mounted on the Mobile Command Center roof. The CLU portable radio set will be used to provide this capability.

1. Jerry B. Goldman	KC6JSO	I.C.O.
2. Chris Gould	AF6DZ	Analyst
3. Steve Leong	KC6IJM	Race Net – Net Control
4. Mike D’Amore	N6MDA	Packet & 440 Command / Control Net
5. Dave Morton	W7DMM	Liaison Officer & 440 Command / Control Net

ACS Radio Room at East County Sheriff’s Station (ECSS)

The ACS Radio Room at ECSS will be used as the backup ACS radio communications center for this event.

1. Gino Spinelli	KI6DJV	Monitoring Race Net & DCS-22
2. Andy Ludlum	KI6NON	Admin Net – Net Control
3. Ken Larson	KJ6RZ	Planning & Packet Net
4. Paula Larson	KE6FUM	Packet Technical Support
5. Roy Deschene	KE6UMW	440 Command & Control Net
6. Pat Malone	KC6YIR	

Start Line

Thousand Oaks Mall

We will need significant radio coverage at the Start Line to keep the police department informed on the start of race activities and to coordinate with the race organizers at that location.

1. Steve King	KE6WEZ	
2. Larry Morris	AD6QJ	
3. Leo Bowman	KG6JMH	
4. Larry Horner	K6WXZ	
5. Ken Segedie	WD9DPK	ACS Liaison
6. Deborah Pearson	Non-Ham	ACS Liaison & DART
7. Chetly Skinner	KI6OMO	Observer

ACS Field Locations

- **Thousand Oaks Blvd. / Moorpark Rd.**
 1. Tom Stough WOUFC
 2. Irma Tucker KF6IUB
- **Thousand Oaks Blvd. / Rancho Rd. (Hwy 23 Interchange area)**
 1. Milas Smith KG6HDD
 2. Jean Smith KI6VEC
- **Thousand Oaks Blvd. / Dallas Dr. (Civic Arts Plaza)**
 1. Stuart Fox K6MQA
 2. Scott Miller KI6VDH
- **Thousand Oaks Blvd. / Hampshire**
 1. Bill Cavan KT5WFC
 2. Debbie Irish KI6NOL
- **Townsgate / Hampshire**
 1. Steve Seegmiller AC6OJ
 2. Byron Hesser KJ6CRK
- **Townsgate / Westlake Blvd. (Loop)**
 1. Rob Hanson W6RH
 2. Susan Hanson N6OIZ
 3. Michael Smith KJ6EIL
- **Townsgate / Lakeview Canyon**
 1. Todd Kleopher KD6RCM
 2. Dave Singer KI6YVI
- **Westlake Blvd. / Carlisle**
 1. James Fortney K6IYK
 2. Paul Jacques WB6IWT
- **Westlake Blvd. / Potrero Rd.**
 1. Noel Van Slyke K6NVS
 2. Ted Lansing KI6PTX

3. Hanna Huber KI6PTW

- **Westlake Blvd. / Triunfo Canyon**

1. John Love K6ARA
2. Tom Ray KI6VDQ

- **Westlake Blvd. / Agoura Rd.**

1. Greg Lane K7SDW
2. Zach Cohen N6PK

- **Lead Vehicle (Highway Patrol):** Rick Tate KQ6NO